

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. : 10/757,629  
Inventor(s) : Mark James Kline, et al.  
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Art Unit : 3761  
Examiner : Melanie Jo Hand  
Docket No. : 8194C  
Confirmation. No. : 4664  
Customer No. : 27752  
Title : Absorbent Article With Improved Fastening System

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 4/27/2009

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
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INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

The Director is hereby authorized to charge all required fees (including any extension of time fees) and to credit any overpayments in this and any concurrent or future correspondence to Deposit Account No. 16-2480.

In response to the Office Action of April 27, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks and reconsider the application.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

*Amendments to the Claims* begin on page 2.

*Remarks* begin on page 4.